

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

D.T., by and through his parents and guardians,  
K.T. and W.T., individually, on behalf of  
similarly situated individuals, and on behalf of  
the NECA/IBEW Family Medical Care Plan,

Plaintiff,

v.

NECA/IBEW FAMILY MEDICAL CARE  
PLAN, THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF  
THE NECA/IBEW FAMILY MEDICAL  
CARE PLAN, SALVATORE J. CHILIA,  
ROBERT P. KLEIN, DARRELL L.  
MCCUBBINS, GEARY HIGGINS,  
LAWRENCE J. MOTER, JR., KEVIN  
TIGHE, JERRY SIMS, AND ANY OTHER  
INDIVIDUAL MEMBER OF THE BOARD  
OF TRUSTEES OF NECA/IBEW FAMILY  
MEDICAL CARE PLAN,

Defendants.

NO. 2:17-cv-00004-RAJ

**ORDER DENYING  
DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO  
BIFURCATE**

This matter comes before the Court on Defendants' motion to bifurcate. Dkt. # 143. The Court held oral argument on this matter on January 6, 2020. For the reasons articulated during the hearing, the Court finds that bifurcation is not appropriate in this case. Defendants' motion is **DENIED**.

DATED this 6<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2020



The Honorable Richard A. Jones  
United States District Judge